

portionment requirement in the Civil Service Act of January 16, 1883, to temporary summer employment. Heard testimony from Representatives Beckworth and Broyhill; also Civil Service Commission officials.

COMMUNICATION SATELLITES

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Resumed hearings on communication satellite systems, and heard testimony from Nicholas DeB. Katzenbach, Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legal Counsel, Department of Justice, and Brig. Gen. William M. Thames, Jr., commanding general, U.S. Army Advent Management Agency, Fort Monmouth, N.J. Hearings continue Thursday, August 10.

TAXATION—SAVINGS BANKS

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on the Treasury Department's report on the taxation of mutual savings banks and savings and loan associations, and heard public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, August 10.

Joint Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Conferees, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 7851, fiscal 1962 appropriations for the Defense Establishment.

Thursday, August 10, 1961

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses cleared Defense Department appropriations bill for the President.

Senate unanimously passed aircraft hijacking bill, approved maritime reorganization, and considered foreign aid bill.

House passed bills on military personnel trailer allowances and flight pay accrual.

Foreign aid bill cleared for floor action by Rules Committee.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15394–15406

Bills Introduced: Four bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2309-2402; and S. Res. 104.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 349, providing readjustment assistance to post-Korean conflict veterans, with amendments, and with minority views (S. Rept. 700);

H.R. 7725, authorizing reconveyance to the town of Malone, N.Y., of certain real property heretofore donated to the U.S. (S. Rept. 701);

H.R. 7721, authorizing the Secretary of the Army to adjust the legislative jurisdiction exercised by the U.S. over the lands within Fort Sheridan, Ill. (S. Rept. 702);

H.R. 6597, to permit the crediting of certain minority service for purpose of determining eligibility for retirement from the armed services (S. Rept. 703);

H.R. 4786, to equalize travel allowances for Reserve and National Guard personnel (S. Rept. 704);

H.R. 7391, to promote the conservation of migratory birds by the acquisition of wet lands, with amendments (S. Rept. 705); and

S. 2000, to provide for the establishment of a Peace Corps, with amendments (S. Rept. 706).

Pages 15395–15396

Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee.

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Crimes on Aircraft: By unanimous vote of 92 yeas, Senate passed with committee amendment (in the nature of a substitute) S. 2268, to apply Federal criminal law to crimes committed on aircraft in air commerce. The committee substitute which was adopted prior to passage of the bill had been amended by adoption of the following amendments thereto:

Modified Yarborough amendment providing death penalty, in the discretion of the jury, for hijacking of a plane; Engle amendment providing death penalty, in the discretion of the jury, for any act on board aircraft that on the high seas would constitute piracy; and Miller amendment including county law enforcement officers among those exempted from prohibition against carrying firearms aboard plane.

Prior to the above actions, the pending Magnuson amendment providing death penalty, in the alternative to life imprisonment, for any act on board aircraft that

on the high seas would constitute piracy, was withdrawn.

Pages 15407-15414, 15420-15434, 15440

Defense Appropriations: Conference report on H.R. 7851, fiscal 1962 appropriations for the Defense Establishment, was adopted. In this connection Senate concurred in House amendments to Senate amendments No. 69 (advertising by defense contractors); No. 71 (acquisition or expansion of facilities); No. 74 (transfer of appropriations); and No. 75 (validating bonus pay received by enlisted members of Air Force serving on Texas towers).

These actions cleared the bill for President's signature.

Pages 15454-15457

Reorganization Plan No. 7—Maritime Functions: By 35 yeas to 60 nays, Senate rejected S. Res. 186, disapproving Reorganization Plan No. 7 of 1961, dealing with the Federal Maritime Board. This action followed adoption by voice vote of Schoepel motion to discharge Committee on Government Operations from further consideration of S. Res. 186. These actions, in effect, approved Reorganization Plan No. 7.

Pages 15445-15454, 15457-15458, 15460-15461

Foreign Aid: Senate continued its consideration of S. 1983, proposed foreign aid authorizations bill, agreeing by unanimous consent to limit further debate on the pending amendment of Senator Byrd (Virginia) to 7 hours, equally divided, beginning at conclusion of morning business tomorrow. The Byrd amendment provides that the Development Loan Fund shall be financed by authorized annual appropriations rather than by long-term borrowing authority as provided in the bill.

Pages 15422, 15434-15445, 15457, 15461

Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: W. Walton Butterworth, of Louisiana, to be U.S. representative to the European Communities, with the rank of ambassador; Frank A. Southard, Jr., of New York, to be U.S. Executive Director, International Monetary Fund; and four collectors of customs.

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Nominations: The following nominations were received: George W. Mitchell, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; 1 judicial; 72 in the Foreign and Diplomatic Service; and numerous Navy nominations.

Pages 15491-15494

Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

Committee Meetings

APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee, in executive session, marked up and ordered favorably reported to the full committee H.R. 8302, fiscal 1962 appropriations for military construction.

The full committee will consider this bill in executive session on Monday, August 14.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported H.R. 7724, providing advances of pay to military personnel in case of emergency evacuation of their dependents from overseas; H.R. 6597, to permit the crediting of certain minority service for purpose of determining eligibility for retirement from the Armed Services; H.R. 4785, to permit withholding from the pay of civilian employees of the National Guard employee contributions to State-sponsored retirement, disability, or death benefit plans (amended); H.R. 4786, to equalize travel allowances for Reserve and National Guard personnel; H.R. 7934, authorizing advance payments on claims resulting from aircraft or missile accidents (amended); H.R. 7725, authorizing reconveyance to the town of Malone, N.Y., of certain real property heretofore donated to the U.S.; H.R. 7721, authorizing the Secretary of the Army to adjust the legislative jurisdiction exercised by the U.S. over the lands within Fort Sheridan, Ill.; the nomination of Finn J. Larsen, of Minnesota, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army (Research and Development); and 610 nominations in the Army and Air Force.

Prior to this action, in open session, testimony on items, as indicated, was received as follows: On H.R. 7724—Capt. Arthur G. Esch, Bureau of Naval Personnel; on H.R. 6597—Lt. Col. Arthur W. Milberg, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel, Army; on H.R. 4785—William M. Batt, Legal Adviser, National Guard Bureau; on H.R. 4786—Lt. Col. Stanley J. Turk, Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Reserve Components, Army; on H.R. 7934—Lt. Col. James W. Scanlan, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel, Air Force; and on H.R. 7935, relating to the preparation and transportation of certain deceased dependents of military personnel—Harry B. Temple, Office of the Quartermaster General, Army.

Mr. Larsen testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

TRANSPORTATION RATEMAKING

Committee on Commerce: Committee continued its hearings on S. 1197, relating to the rule of ratemaking where competition between carriers of different modes of transportation is involved, hearing the following witnesses: W. L. Thornton, Jr., Kimberly-Clark Corp., Neenah, Wis.; Angus MacDonald, National Farmers Union; Lee R. Cowles, Freight Rate Service Co., Kansas City, Mo.; Gordon Stedman, Growers & Shippers League of Florida, Orlando; and Randall Chase, of Chase & Co., Sanford, Fla.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. JUVENILE COURT

Committee on the District of Columbia: Subcommittee on the Judiciary continued its hearings on S. 486, providing for the appointment of two additional judges for the D.C. juvenile court; S. 2114, authorizing appoint-

ment of two referees of the D.C. juvenile court; S. 2299, providing for the establishment of a juvenile division within the D.C. Youth Correctional Center; and general juvenile problems, including questions raised by provisions of H.R. 6747, creating a juvenile court branch of the D.C. municipal court. Testimony was received from Orman W. Ketcham, Judge, D.C. juvenile court; and Dr. Carl Hansen, Superintendent of Schools, who was accompanied by other D.C. school officials.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

PENSION PLANS—SELF-EMPLOYED

Committee on Finance: Committee met in executive session to consider H.R. 10, to encourage the establishment of voluntary pension plans by self-employed individuals, but did not conclude action thereon, and will meet again on Tuesday, August 15.

INDIAN LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Subcommittee on Indian Affairs concluded hearings on S. 1392, relating to the Indian heirship land problem, after receiving testimony from Floyd L. France and Harry A. Sellery, both of the Department of Justice; Paul Jones, Navajo Tribal Council; Lawrence Lindley, Indian Rights Association, Philadelphia; Richard Schifter and Marvin J. Sonosky, attorneys representing several Indian tribes; Mrs. Helen L. Peterson, National Con-

gress of American Indians; Thomas Colosimo, of Arrow, Inc., Washington, D.C.; Hans Walker, representing three affiliated tribes of Fort Berthold, N. Dak.; Robert Burnett, chairman, Rosebud Sioux Tribe; and Melville Robertson, Sisseton-Wahpeton Tribe.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee held hearings on the nominations of M. Joseph Blumenfeld, to be U.S. district judge for the district of Connecticut, with testimony from Representatives Giaimo, Daddario, and Monagan; and J. Cullen Ganey, of Pennsylvania, to be U.S. circuit judge, third circuit, with testimony from Senators Clark and Scott, and Representative Walter.

SMALL BUSINESS—COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITES

Select Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Monopoly continued its hearings in connection with policies regarding ownership of space communications satellites, having as its witnesses Representative Ryan; Daggett H. Howard, General Counsel, Federal Aviation Agency; David B. Smith, Philco Corp.; Donald T. Atkinson, General Electric Co.; Roy H. Isaacs, of the Bendix Corp.; and Joseph M. Dunn, Dunn Engineering Corp., Cambridge, Mass.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 26 public bills, H.R. 8632-8657; 8 private bills, H.R. 8658-8665; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 528, H. Con. Res. 367, and H. Res. 414, were introduced.

Pages 15393-15394

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

S. 2051, relating to education of war orphans in the Philippines (H. Rept. 874);

H.R. 1098, relating to burial flag for veterans of Mexican border service, amended (H. Rept. 875);

H.R. 5939, approval of courses under War Orphans' Educational Assistance Act, amended (H. Rept. 876);

H.R. 6969, relating to increased dependency and indemnity compensation for certain veterans' widows, amended (H. Rept. 877);

H.R. 8414, regarding supply fund of the Veterans' Administration (H. Rept. 878);

H.R. 8399, proposed Manpower Development and Training Act of 1961 (H. Rept. 879);

H.R. 1375, a private bill (H. Rept. 880);

S. 1873, relating to donations for college home economic classes (H. Rept. 881);

H.J. Res. 438, to authorize and direct the Securities and Exchange Commission to conduct a study and investigation of the adequacy for the protection of investors, of the rules of national securities exchanges and national securities associations (H. Rept. 882);

H.R. 3879, land conveyance to the State of Wyoming (H. Rept. 883);

H.R. 4821, land conveyance to the town of Tellico Plains, Tenn. (H. Rept. 884);

H.R. 6360, to authorize an additional Assistant Secretary of Commerce (H. Rept. 885);

H.R. 4939, conveyance of reversionary rights to Jasper County, Ga., amended (H. Rept. 886);

H.R. 6193, land conveyance to Fremont County, Wyo. (H. Rept. 887);

H.R. 7622, to permit certain gift enterprises in the D.C., amended (H. Rept. 888);

H.R. 8032, to amend the D.C. Healing Arts Practice Act relative to training in foreign institutions (H. Rept. 889);

H. Res. 392, providing funds for expenses of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs (H. Rept. 890);

H.R. 256, to amend the D.C. Alcoholic Beverage Control Act relative to method of payment of D.C. alcoholic beverage taxes (H. Rept. 891);

H.R. 6836, to amend the Policemen and Firemen's Retirement and Disability Act relative to service-connected disabilities (H. Rept. 892);

H.R. 8074, to amend the D.C. Income and Franchise Tax Act of 1947, as amended, and the D.C. Business Corporation Act, as amended, with respect to certain foreign corporations (H. Rept. 893);

H.R. 8344, to provide for the restoration of the home of John Philip Sousa in the D.C., amended (H. Rept. 894);

H.R. 8444, to amend the act of August 12, 1955, relating to elections in the D.C., amended (H. Rept. 895);

H.R. 2470, providing for the establishment of the Lincoln Boyhood National Memorial in the State of Indiana, amended (H. Rept. 896);

H.R. 3920, relating to land exchange at Beltsville Research Center (H. Rept. 897); and

H. Res. 414, open rule waiving points of order and providing for 8 hours of debate on H.R. 8400, to promote the foreign policy, security, and general welfare of the U.S. by assisting peoples of the world in their efforts toward economic and social development and internal and external security (H. Rept. 898).

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Late Reports: The Committee on Rules was granted permission to file sundry reports by midnight Saturday. Similar permission was granted the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs for filing a report on H.R. 84, to stabilize the mining of lead and zinc by small domestic producers on public, Indian, and other lands.

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Defense Appropriations: By a unanimous record vote of 383 the House adopted the conference report on H.R. 7851, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for fiscal year 1962, and sent the legislation to the Senate.

Nine amendments were reported in disagreement and on which the House took the following actions: Voted to recede and concur in Senate amendments Nos. 26, 41, 54, 64, and 65; voted to recede and concur in amendments Nos. 69, 71, 74, and 75 with amendments. The motion to recede and concur in Senate amendment 26 (providing \$207,600,000 for civil defense activities) was divided and the House voted to recede; and subsequently rejected a motion to concur with an amendment to reduce to \$114,600,000 the civil defense funds. After which the House voted to concur.

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Enrolled Bills: Permission was granted for the Clerk of the House to receive messages from the Senate and

the Speaker to sign enrolled bills regardless of the adjournments of the House for the balance of the session.

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Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of August 16.

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Flight Pay Accrual: Adopted committee amendments and by a voice vote passed H.R. 7651, to amend the Career Compensation Act of 1949 relative to accrual of flight pay of certain officers. H. Res. 411, the rule under which the legislation was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 15336-15342

Trailer Allowance: By a voice vote the House passed H.R. 2732, to provide a monetary allowance for the transportation of house trailers of members of the uniformed services, after adopting a committee amendment. H. Res. 410, the rule making in order the consideration of the bill, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote.

Pages 15337-15338, 15342-15344

Federal Communications Commission: The House insisted on its amendment to S. 2034, to amend the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, for the purpose of facilitating the prompt and orderly conduct of the business of the Federal Communications Commission, agreed to a conference requested by the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Harris, Rogers of Texas, Flynt, Moss, Rogers of Florida, Bennett of Michigan, Springer, Younger, and Thomson of Wisconsin.

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Committee Expenses: Adopted H. Res. 392, to provide funds for expenses of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 5:06 p.m.

Committee Meetings

PERISHABLE AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Domestic Marketing continued hearings on H.R. 5023, relating to practices in the marketing of perishable agricultural commodities, and heard public and Agriculture Department witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

MILITARY CONTRACTING

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee for Special Investigations continued hearings on contracting-out procedures of the military departments. Heard testimony from Joseph S. Imirie, Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Materiel); other Air Force witnesses; and naval officials. Hearings will continue Friday, August 11.

CAREER COMPENSATION ACT

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 7723 (amended), to amend the Career Compensation

Act by increasing per diem rates and to provide reimbursement under certain circumstances for actual expenses incident to travel. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

CHILD LABOR—MANPOWER RESOURCES

Committee on Education and Labor: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House H.R. 8399, relating to the occupational training, development, and use of the manpower resources of the Nation.

Also considered but took no final action on H.R. 8279, to extend the child labor laws to certain children employed in agriculture.

WORLD'S FAIR—UNITED NATIONS

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Organizations and Movements met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 7763, to provide for planning the participation of the U.S. in the New York World's Fair, 1964 and 1965; and H.R. 4441 (amended), to assist in defraying the extraordinary and unprecedented expenses incurred during the Fifteenth General Assembly of the United Nations.

EDUCATIONAL-CULTURAL EXCHANGES

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on State Department Organization and Foreign Operations, in executive session, completed markup of H.R. 5203 and 5204, to provide for the improvement of international relations through educational and cultural exchanges.

NATIONAL PARK CONCESSION

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks heard Interior Department; and public witnesses on a proposed park concession contract. The subcommittee will meet again Friday, August 11.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Met in executive session on pending business. No announcements were made.

The committee will meet, Monday, August 14, in executive session.

CRIMES ABOARD AIRCRAFT

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Transportation and Aeronautics met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 8384 (amended), to provide for the application of Federal criminal law to certain events occurring on board aircraft in air commerce.

COUNTERFEITING STATE OBLIGATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 1777 (amended), to amend title 18,

U.S. Code, to prohibit counterfeiting of State obligations in certain cases.

BANKRUPTCY ACT—SLUGS

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 4, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 8038 (amended), to amend section 491 of title 18, U.S. Code, prohibiting certain acts involving the use of tokens, slugs, disks, devices, papers, or other things; and H.R. 5393 (amended), to amend the Bankruptcy Act.

OCEAN FREIGHT FORWARDERS

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Subcommittee on Merchant Marine continued hearings on H.R. 2488, and related bills, to provide for licensing independent ocean freight forwarders. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee S. 841, to amend the Defense Department Overseas Teachers Pay and Personnel Practices Act.

The subcommittee, in open hearing, prior to taking action, heard testimony from Department of Defense officials on H.R. 5430 and S. 841, companion bills.

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee H.R. 6374 (amended), to clarify the application of the Government Employees Training Act with respect to payment of expenses of attendance of Government employees at certain meetings.

Prior to taking action the subcommittee, in an open hearing, heard testimony from Civil Service Commission officials.

PUBLIC WORKS

Committee on Public Works: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds, in executive session, ordered favorably reported to the full committee H.R. 3019, to provide for the construction of a fireproof annex building for use of the Government Printing Office, S. 541, to empower the Administrator of General Services to appoint nonuniformed special policemen; H.R. 7477, to repeal section 409 of the Public Buildings Act, requiring the submission of a report to Congress concerning eligible public building projects; S. 931, to repeal that part of the act of March 2, 1889, which requires that grantors furnish, free of all expenses to the Government, all requisite abstracts, official certifications and evidences of title; H.R. 8357, to amend the act entitled "An Act for the organization, improvement, and maintenance of the National Zoological Park"; H.R. 8356, to authorize reimbursement to owners and tenants of

certain lands or interest therein acquired by the U.S. for certain moving expenses and losses and damages; and H.R. 8355, to authorize executive agencies to grant easements in, over, or upon real property of the U.S. under the control of such agencies. Also approved several public building projects.

Prior to taking action the subcommittee, in an open hearing, heard testimony from Representative Cannon (H.R. 8357); and Government witnesses (all measures).

FOREIGN AID

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule, waiving points of order, with 8 hours debate, on H.R. 8400, to promote the foreign policy, security, and general welfare of the U.S. by assisting peoples of the world in their efforts toward economic and social development and internal and external security.

Witnesses heard on granting of a rule were Representatives Morgan, Judd, Gary, Gross, Hardy, Barry, and Bolton.

COMMUNICATION SATELLITES

Committee on Science and Astronautics: Continued hearings on communication satellite systems, and heard testimony from James E. Webb, Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and Dr. Edward Welsh, Executive Secretary, National Aeronautics and Space Council.

NSA INVESTIGATION

Committee on Un-American Activities: Subcommittee continued, in executive session, on matters relating to

the National Security Agency. No announcements were made.

VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 1098 (amended), to provide that a flag shall be furnished to drape the casket of each deceased veteran of Mexican border service;

S. 2051, to afford children of certain deceased veterans additional time to complete their education;

H.R. 5939 (amended) to provide that after the expiration of the Korean conflict veterans' education and training program, approval of courses under the war orphan's educational assistance program shall be by State approving agencies;

H.R. 6969 (amended), to provide that the death pension may be paid in lieu of dependency and indemnity compensation in certain cases involving service-connected deaths; and

H.R. 8414, to clarify the authority of the Veterans' Administration to use its revolving supply fund for the repair and reclamation of personal property.

TAXATION—SAVINGS BANKS

Committee on Ways and Means: Concluded hearings on Treasury Department's report on the taxation of mutual savings banks and savings and loan associations. Heard public witnesses.

Friday, August 11, 1961

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate considered foreign aid bill, rejecting Byrd (Va.) amendment on financing by appropriations.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 15503-15542

Bills Introduced: 10 bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2403-2412. Page 15504

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 7724, providing advances of pay to military personnel in case of emergency evacuation of their dependents from overseas (S. Rept. 707);

H.R. 7934, authorizing advance payments on claims resulting from aircraft or missile accidents, with amendment (S. Rept. 708); and

H.R. 4785, to permit withholding from the pay of civilian employees of the National Guard employee contributions to State-sponsored retirement, disability, or death benefit plans, with amendments (S. Rept. 709).

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Bills Referred: Two House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees. Page 15503

Foreign Aid: Senate continued its consideration of S. 1983, proposed foreign aid authorizations bill, rejecting by 39 yeas to 56 nays (motion to reconsider tabled), Byrd (Va.) amendment to provide that the Development Loan Fund shall be financed by authorized annual